San Antonio, TX - On Monday, December 18, 2006, Congressman Charles Gonzalez (D-San Antonio) will attend the San Antonio College Public Administration Club 2006 Awards Ceremony where he will present a Henry B. Gonzalez Public Service Scholarship to three Travis Elementary School 3rd graders. " It is always an honor to attend this awards ceremony and pay tribute to the winners" Gonzalez said. The Congressman added, " As a former school teacher, these young 3rd grade scholars are an inspiration to me and I am honored to have a chance to present them with this award. "

In addition to the HBG scholarship, SAC will honor Dolores Huerta with the Henry B. Gonzalez Lifetime Achievement in Public Service Award. " We should all be proud of the work of Ms. Huerta, her tireless dedication to the community is unmatched and deserving of an award bearing my father's name" said Congressman Gonzalez.

The Public Administration club will give additional awards to Mr. Red McCombs and his wife Charline McCombs, Mr. Charles P. Garcia and wife Cristina Avila, as well Cindy Cantu Segovia and Venus Prado for their continued efforts and involvement in the community and in support of San Antonio College and its programs. " I am proud to be a part of this event and congratulate all of the award recipients and hope they never lose their zeal for public service" the Congressman added.

WHAT: The presentation of the 2006 Henry B. Gonzalez Public Service Scholarship and Public Service Awards

WHEN: 10AM on Monday, December 18, 2006

WHERE: San Antonio College - Loftin Student Center, Fiesta Room